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Who's still undecided?

Tonight's final presidential debate could be the deciding factor for a small but existent group of Americans who have yet to pick a candidate ◆ Just 7.8 percent in Massachusetts don't know who they'll vote for {page 02}

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Dozens of underage teens were found drinking at a house party in Arlington Friday night and now the owners could face charges. The owner of the house, former Selectman Annie LaCourt, and her husband could face charges under the state's social host law, according to WCVB. Police are investigating. METRO

Today's local tweet

"Where do I go to file a lawsuit against the MBTA for the train closing its doors and leaving without me and makin' me feel bad."

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Regatta. Charles

▶ Tens of thousands of spectators lined the banks of the Charles River this weekend to watch the 2012 Head of the Charles Regatta.

NICOLAUS CZARNECKI/METRO

Spectators soak in sun, sculls at race

Spectators crowded the banks of the Charles River yesterday for the 48th annual Head of the Charles Regatta. About 300,000 people were expected to watch the races during the weekend event that is billed as the world's largest two-day regatta. After winning the Championship Men's Eights last year, Harvard was only edged out by the University of Washington. METRO

Could undecided voters really still be out there?

7.6 percent of US voters still won't choose ● Some say they're waiting, others don't plan to vote ● Candidates likely done trying to convert them

There may only be a few of them, but they're still out there: undecided voters.

Tonight's third and final presidential debate could prove to be the deciding factor for a small, but existent, group of Americans who have yet to make up their minds about whether President Barack Obama or Republican Mitt Romney will get their vote on Nov. 6.

Lee Miringoff, director of the Marist Institute for Public Opinion at Marist College, said the narrow margin of undecided voters is testament to the vast difference between the candidates.

"Usually there are more earlier, now is the time it starts to boil down," Miringoff told Metro. "This election is very polarized. There isn't a lot of switching back and forth."

When asked by Metro why they have yet to choose, some undecided voters said they are waiting to hear more on issues that are important to them.

"Jobs," was Marquis Harris' quick response when asked what he wanted to hear more about from the candidates.

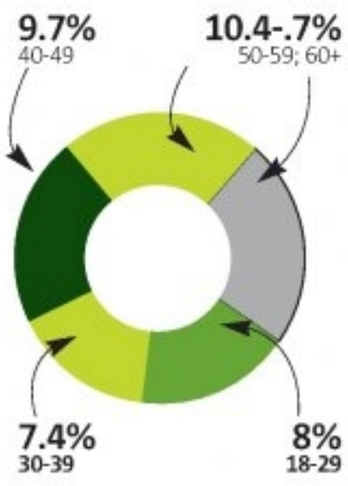
Harris, a 20-year-old Suffolk University student, and fellow student Luis Reyes both said they were leaning toward Obama, but that the president had not yet convinced them to vote for him. They also expressed concern for their futures and wondered if Romney's business experience would be more beneficial to the economy.

"Within the next two years we'll be graduating, and we don't know what it's going to be like out there," said Reyes.

CASSANDRA GARRISON and MICHAEL NAUGHTON

By the numbers

In Massachusetts 7.8 percent of voters are undecided and the lowest number of undecided voters make up the younger portion of the population:



Too late for the undecided?

It may be too late for Harris, Reyes and other undecided voters to hear what they need to make up their minds. At this stage of the game, the candidates are likely done trying to woo people who still won't pick, Miringoff said.

Quoted

"The race really is about turning out your supporters, not about converting the undecided." MIRINGOFF

In the news

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▶ The sign says closed

Boston institution shutters its doors

BOSTON. A restaurant that has lasted more than a century in Boston has closed its doors. Locke-Ober, the upscale downtown restaurant that has played host to countless celebrities and heads of state, announced on Saturday night that it had closed. A sign was hung from its door Saturday.

The restaurant's website posted a message yesterday that said it is closed for business pending the sale of its Winter Place building.

The restaurant was established in 1875. METRO

Woman caught in alleged bank robbery spree

BROCKTON. A Bridgewater woman is due in court today for allegedly holding up four banks on the South Shore.

Kerri Heffernan, 31, was arrested Saturday, according to the Brockton Enterprise.

She allegedly robbed two Citizens Bank branches located within Stop & Shop stores in Brockton Saturday. On Friday night she robbed a bank inside a Stop & Shop in Whitman and left the money in the parking lot when the dye pack exploded, police said.

Police said they also believe she pulled a similar robbery in Stoughton. METRO

Whale carcass washes up on Rockport shores

ROCKPORT. A dead whale washed up on the shores of Rockport this weekend.

The decomposing whale, which appeared Saturday, was spotted in Boston Harbor earlier this month, according to WBZ.

The carcass washed up on Rainsford Island earlier this month and then floated back out to sea. METRO

Tracking the progress of South Station expansion

South Station is overflowing with commuters, and experts say it lacks sufficient space, seating and amenities to keep waiting riders comfortable. And with fewer tracks than it had when it opened in 1899, it can't meet demand for more rail service around the state and the Northeast corridor.

That is why transit officials are talking about expanding and enhancing the heart of the Hub's public transit system.

MassDOT recently announced there will be public meetings on Nov. 19 and Nov. 20, so officials can hear riders' ideas on what they'd like to see happen with the project.

"We're looking to introduce people to the project and engage residents and businesses, and also the thousands of people who use the station," said Kate Fichter, South Station Expansion Project manager.

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▶ When it opened in 1899, South Station had 28 tracks. It now has only 13.

Ridership to soar

In June, The Urban Land Institute predicted that within a decade, the T may see between 100,000 and 367,000 more daily riders, putting pressure on the Red, Orange and Green lines as well as commuter rail lines dependent on South Station.

Over the next three years, MassDOT will develop a $43-million planning and design process that will include an analysis of rail operations and an environmental review — but construction wouldn't begin any time soon.

In fact, Fichter said there is no estimate on when construction will actually begin.

"We're just starting the planning. ... It's a lengthy project."

By the numbers

- Though it is only an estimate, the project could add up to seven new tracks.
- The $43 million study process is funded through a $32.5 million federal grant awarded for in 2010 and through a $10.5 million match from the state transportation department.
- Today's Northeast Corridor on-time performance is roughly 85 percent for Acela Express and 75 percent for Northeast Regional trains.
- The 2030 target for on-time performance is 95 percent for Acela Express and 90 percent for Northeast Regional, but officials say that goal can't be met without an expansion.

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Faneuil. Festival

▶ Al Millar, aka Alakazam The Human Knot, worked to fit his enitre body through a squash racket during the first annual Faneuil Hall Marketplace Street Theater Festival.

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Street performers show skills

The First Annual Street Theater Festival kicked off at Faneuil Hall this weekend as a dozen artists, musicians and performers showed off their stuff. The two-day festival at the Boston landmark included some of the world's most talented street performers, organizers said. Acrobats, contortionists, jugglers and magicians wooed the crowds. METRO

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In the news

Startups to be awarded millions

MASSACHUSETTS. More than $10 million will be awarded to dozens of start-ups tomorrow during the MassChallenge Awards Ceremony.

The fundraiser event will be hosted by comedian Orlando Jones and will include speeches by Gov. Deval Patrick and Gerald Chertavian, the founder and executive of Year Up.

The top 26 start-ups from the MassChallenge 2012 Accelerator will be among those awarded the $10 million that includes $1 million in cash and $9 million in benefits. METRO

Former treasurer Cahill due in court

BOSTON. Former state treasurer Tim Cahill is due in court this week as he prepares to go to trial on corruption charges.

Cahill, of Quincy, is due in court tomorrow for a final pretrial hearing.

He is accused of violating the state ethics law by using most of the lottery's $2 million budget to run ads in the final months before the 2010 election. Cahill oversaw the lottery as treasurer and ran for governor in 2010.

The ads promoted the lottery as a well-managed organization that gives funds back to cities and towns.

A motion to dismiss the charges was denied earlier this month.

Cahill is expected to go to trial later this month. METRO

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Police: Man found dead downtown was in a fight

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▶ He was found unconscious near this intersection.

A man found dead in the Financial District this weekend was likely the victim of a fight, police said yesterday.

"We believe the victim was involved in a physical altercation," said a police spokesman, Officer James Kenneally. "As to the cause and manner of death, those issues are still under investigation and have yet to be determined."

The unidentified man was found unconscious near Franklin and Broad streets by officers on patrol in the area just after 2 a.m. Saturday, police said. Police had not released the name of the man as of press time yesterday.

They said the man was in his 20s and was suffering from a head injury when officers found him. He was taken to Massachusetts General Hospital where he later died.

Police were initially unsure how the man died. Cheryl Fiandaca, a police spokeswoman, told the Globe in an e-mail that the man might have sustained the head injury from a fall.

The man was found just after closing time in an area with multiple bars and late-night venues.

Police did not say yesterday where the man was coming from or if they had surveillance images from the incident.

Anyone with information can call 617-343-4470 or text "tip" to 27463 (CRIME).

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Subway. Drill

▶ Passengers were bused between Maverick and Government Center yesterday as emergency crews conducted a training drill at Aquarium Station.

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MBTA drill tests new equipment

MBTA officials deemed a drill that closed the Blue Line yesterday morning a success. The drill used one of the agency's new battery-operated "mec 4" vehicles that can be assembled quickly at the site of an emergency and transport passengers out of an emergency. Boston fire and EMS personnel also participated in the drill. Buses replaced Blue Line service until noontime yesterday. METRO

Opinion

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THE TRUE STORY OF TODAY'S SUNLIGHT

Ever feel like the sun is far away? Right now, no matter where you are or what time it is, trillions of particles are passing through your body that were in the center of the sun less than ten minutes ago.

The sun's source of energy is in its core. Immense pressure from gravity results in extreme temperatures, causing particles to speed up and slam into each other. When the right combinations of particles collide with enough force, they fuse together, forming new atoms. The sun is a massive particle smasher working 24/7. This process releases energy in different forms. The one everyone knows best is photons — a.k.a. light. Another is a particle we cannot see, called a neutrino.

These particles are passing through you right now. Nearly all neutrinos released in the center of the sun stream uninhibited out of the core close to light speed in all directions. Once created, most neutrinos travel through the sun to us in less than ten minutes, and pass through earth like it's not even there. These byproducts of atoms fused in the center of the sun about nine minutes ago, are now streaming through your body by the trillions. Neutrino particles move so quickly, the ones that were in you when starting this sentence are now zipping through space.

However, light doesn't escape the sun so quickly. After release during atom smashing, photons are absorbed and emitted by surrounding particles. Unlike neutrinos, which are neutral, light is constantly being swallowed and spat out in random directions, slowly traveling to the surface of the sun, where it's free to speed through the vacuum of space. The journey of photons from the sun's core to Earth takes around 100,000 years.

Energy in today's daylight was released from fusion in the sun before civilization as we know it existed. Although today's daylight is ancient energy, it's mixed in with neutrinos released less than ten minutes ago. Similarly, the light that will shine on Earth in the year 102,012 AD will be from the same collisions that released neutrinos passing through you right now.

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In the news

Suspect in Wis. mass shooting found dead

MILWAUKEE. The lone suspect in a mass shooting at a spa in a mall in suburban Milwaukee, Wis., has been found dead from a self-inflicted gunshot wound at the scene, Brookfield police said.

The suspected gunman was identified as 45-year-old Radcliffe Haughton, a resident of Brown Deer, Wis.

The shooting incident left at least three people dead and four others injured, according to authorities. **REUTERS**

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In the news

Sponsors face doping dilemma after Armstrong scandal

Cyclist Lance Armstrong's doping scandal is causing sponsors to question their future in a sport that allows them to reach mass audiences at a moderate price, but risks tainting their brand.

The Dutch Rabobank pulled out of professional cycling on Friday, ending a sponsorship deal worth 15 million euros ($19.6 million) a year and leaving one of the Tour de France's best known teams facing an uncertain future.

U.S. sportswear giant Nike dropped seven-times Tour de France winner Armstrong last Wednesday after the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency said his success had been fuelled by an elaborate and sophisticated doping scheme.

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▶ Armstrong

$19.6M

The Dutch Rabobank pulled out of professional cycling, ending a $19.6 million sponsorship.

"I know that our sponsors continue to be very supportive and view this as a necessary process to move the sport forward," said Jonathan Vaughters, manager for the Garmin-Sharp team. REUTERS

Yahoo CEO's comeback plan puts focus on tech

Marissa Mayer, who earned a reputation for decisive action and intensity during her 13-year stint at Google Inc., has spent her first months as Yahoo Inc. CEO quietly moving the Internet pioneer back to its roots in technology.

Long torn between whether it should focus on media content or on tools and technologies, Yahoo under Mayer is being positioned firmly in the latter camp, according to sources inside and outside the company.

Her hires, acquisition musings and other early moves hint at an ambitious, technology-driven comeback plan designed to revitalize aging but well-trafficked properties such as Yahoo Mail, Yahoo Finance and Yahoo Sports.

Yahoo has been criticized for allowing these sites to stagnate — they look very much like they did five years ago, and do not have many bells and whistles to encourage users to spend more time on them.

Mayer, 37, wants to make Yahoo's properties much more interactive, on PCs and on mobile devices, using social media tools to personalize the user experience and new technology to boost advertising sales. Her well-known focus on user design is expected to result in a simpler, less-cluttered email and home page, one source said.

Yahoo declined to comment for this article. Mayer, who gave birth to her first child weeks ago, will unveil details of her comeback plan when Yahoo reports quarterly results today. REUTERS

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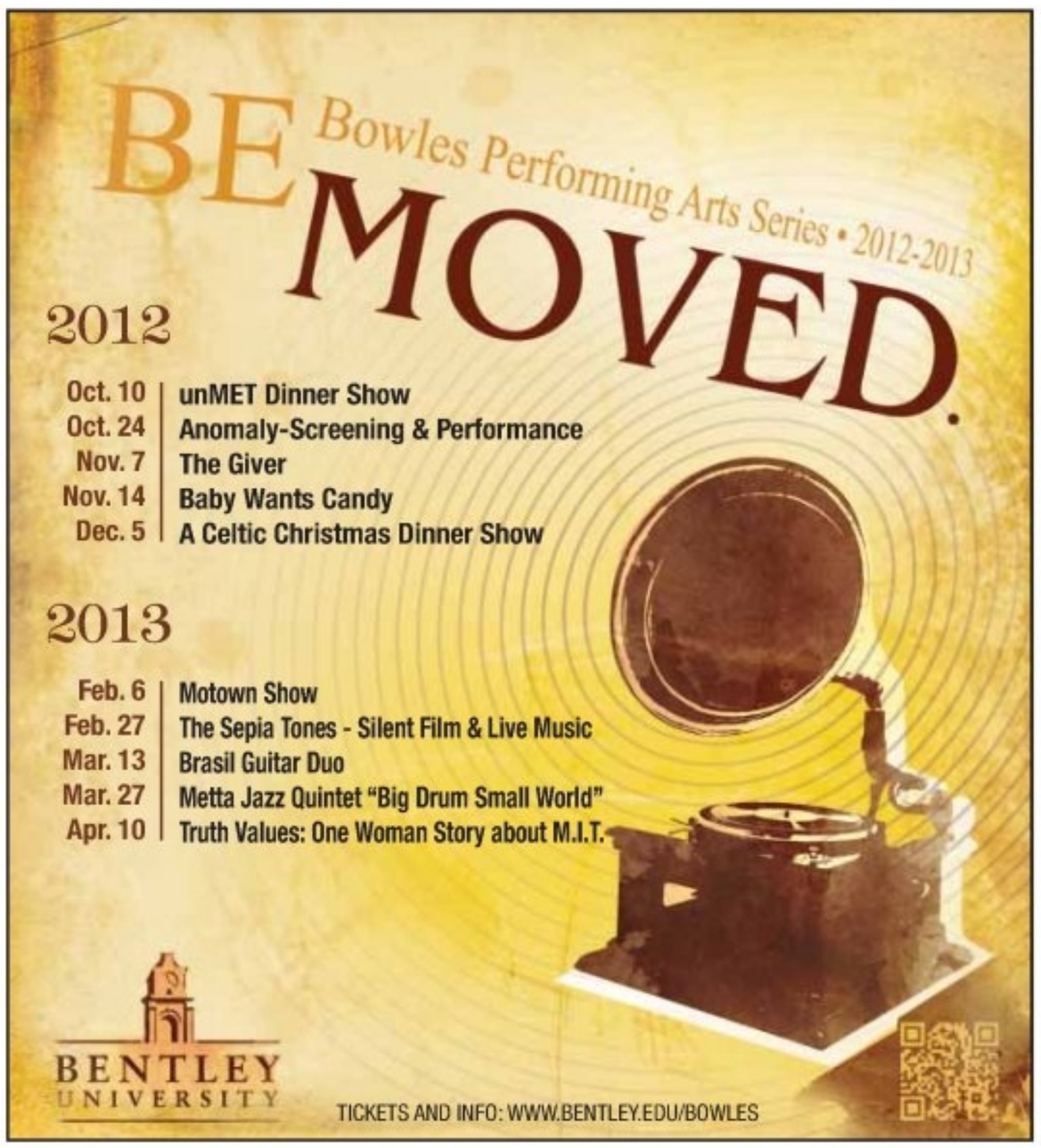
▶ The company is expected to revitalize its aging websites.

Mayer's meetings

- Mayer has been meeting with Internet gurus including AOL Inc. CEO Tim Armstrong, another ex-Googler; Silicon Valley lawyer Larry Sonsini; and Wall Street investment bankers, according to people familiar with the matter.
- Bankers have pitched Mayer and her team on a slew of potential acquisitions, and they appeared to show interest in restaurant reservation site OpenTable Inc., and advertising technology companies PubMatic, Turn and Millennial Media, a source said.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GOP, states still swingin'

Polls: Romney can get enough votes

Suddenly, Republican Mitt Romney has a viable path to victory in the tight battle for the White House. President Barack Obama still appears to have the upper hand in the state-by-state fight to cobble together the 270 electoral votes needed to win the presidency in the Nov. 6 election.

But Romney's recent surge in the polls after his strong performance in his first debate has propelled the Republican into the lead or within striking distance in enough states. Ohio, long seen as the key to unlocking the White House, looms large in every victory scenario for either candidate. Until the last two weeks, polls did not show Romney with enough support in other crucial states to give him a clear path even if he won Ohio. But he has that now, as the campaign enters its final two weeks with eight states in play as toss-ups. REUTERS

"Ohio is the big unknown, and it's Romney's biggest obstacle."
POLLSTER PETER BROWN

War critic routed in '72 election by Nixon, dies

George McGovern, the Democratic presidential candidate whose opposition to the Vietnam War and mistake-prone campaign led to his 1972 loss to Richard Nixon in one of the biggest electoral landslides in history, has died at 90.

The former senator from South Dakota, a symbol of the anti-war movement, won only 37.5 percent of the popular vote in 1972, compared with 60.7 percent for Nixon, who portrayed his opponent as radical and a threat to an imminent peace deal. Nixon won the Electoral College vote, 520-17. The 1972 burglary at Washington's Watergate complex was designed to undermine the Democratic campaign. BLOOMBERG

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▶ McGovern in 1972

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▶ McGovern in 2012

McGovern facts

- McGovern volunteered for military service at age 19 and went on 35 combat missions in WWII.
- He served in the U.S. Senate from 1963 to 1981. He served in the U.S. House of Representatives from 1957 to 1961. REUTERS

The numbers win the war

The RealClearPolitics average of polls gives Obama a lead of at least four percentage points in states that account for 237 electoral votes, while Romney enters the final stretch with an edge of that size in states that represent 206 electoral votes. The toss-up states with the most at stake are:

10 Wisconsin has 10 electoral votes.

13 Virginia has 13 electoral votes.

18 Ohio has 18 electoral votes.

29 Florida has 29 votes. REUTERS

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DEAR SIRS, WE NEED TO TALK ABOUT LIBYA

When they step onto the debate stage in Boca Raton, Fla., today for their third and final debate, President Barack Obama and Republican Mitt Romney will be talking about foreign affairs even as they make one last push to win over a national audience more concerned about the economy and jobs.

This debate will be a tiebreaker of sorts for the two presidential candidates. Now running virtually even, Obama and Romney will both be looking for a breakaway moment in a debate that effectively shifts the conversation away from the race's main focus. Instead of talking about the economy, they will be asked about global affairs. Incumbent presidents typically hold an upper hand in debates about international relations and national security, experts said. And Obama has had his share of successes in that area, including winding down two wars and killing Osama bin Laden.

But more recent events have given Romney an opening that Republicans hope he can exploit. The administration is under fire for its handling of a Sept. 11 terrorist attack on the U.S. consulate in Libya that left the U.S. ambassador and three others dead.

"Both candidates have strengths going into this debate," according to Todd Graham, debate director at Southern Illinois University.

Obama may have given Romney additional ammunition on the issue when, during an appearance on Comedy Central's "Daily Show with Jon Stewart" last week, he described the four American deaths as "not optimal." Obama drew an immediate rebuke from the mother of one of the men killed.

"My son is not very optimal," the mother told the Daily Mail, a British newspaper. "He is very dead."

Graham cautioned Romney not to wade too deeply into foreign policy issues that are at best a secondary concern for voters. Instead, Romney should try to relate the foreign policy issues back to domestic economic issues, he said.

"Romney needs to pick his disagreements more carefully and the rest of the time pivot toward the economy," Graham said.

Obama, he said, should do the opposite. "His job is to remind people that foreign policy is important because he will probably win on the experience level."

Quoted

The administration is under fire for its handling of a Sept. 11 terrorist attack on the U.S. Consulate in Libya. ... Republicans contend the White House was misleading the country ...

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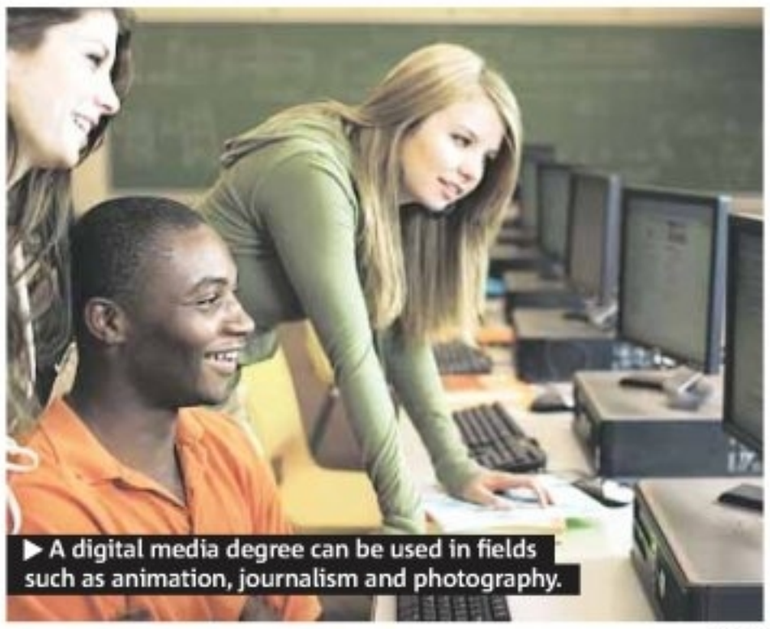
Behind the degree: Digital media

Digital media studies master's degree programs are on the rise as ways we share information change
Where students use the skills

Cynthia Baron directs the Master of Professional Studies in Digital Media program at Northeastern University. Like most graduate-level options like it, the Northeastern program only emerged in the past few years. Baron sat down with us to discuss this budding field of study.

Digital media studies are relatively new to the landscape of graduate degrees. Why have so many schools developed these programs?

I think it's pretty obvious that it's market-driven in the sense that more and more of our lives are touched by digital technology. There's a big difference between understanding how to use a piece of software and why you would design it that way. And when you put different processes together, it becomes very complicated. There wasn't a place to study this in any one academic discipline. Schools wanted to look at this phenomenon as a whole, instead of trying to do it piecemeal with added classes here and there in other areas of study.



▶ A digital media degree can be used in fields such as animation, journalism and photography.

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What's the main misconception about graduate-level programs for digital media?

People say: "Why do you need a degree in digital media — couldn't I just take courses to learn how to use software?" You could, but that doesn't make you a digital media professional. That's like me saying I know how to use Microsoft Word, so that makes me a writer.

What jobs do your students get?

Interactive design, game design, Web design, handheld media products, digital video, photography, 3-D animation, Web-based journalism. But, often, people come to us from specific fields — programming, engineering, art, design, teaching — and they're looking to go back with a new skill set.

Are there opportunities for fellowships in this field?

Fellowships are hard to come by. Most programs that do provide fellowships or TA positions offer them to a small number of students.

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Trends

Horde mentality: A scholarly look at zombie mania

"The Walking Dead" is one of the most popular shows on TV. Its season premiere last week saw 10.1 million viewers — 15.2 million if you include the two encores that ran the same evening. What makes this show about zombies so popular?

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▶ Zombies marched in Washington, D.C., earlier this month to protest DISH Network dropping AMC, which airs "The Walking Dead."

"It really puts viewers into a moral dilemma," says Murali Balaji, assistant professor of media studies and production at Temple University in Philadelphia. "People wonder what would they do if they were in such an extreme situation."

Balaji, who teaches courses in both media theory and popular culture, points out that it's not actually the zombies who are the most dangerous enemies. "What's interesting is that the survivors view fellow survivors as suspiciously, or even more suspiciously, as the zombies themselves," he says. "There's a line from the graphic novel that the show is based on: 'It's not the dead I fear, it's the living.' That resonates with us — we all struggle with dilemmas of trust."

Zombie stories have been increasingly popular during the past 10 years, which may reflect our end-of-the-world fears. "Whether it's bioterrorism, a disease outbreak or a nuclear accident, this is something that people could see happening," Balaji says. **JUDY WEIGHTMAN**

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Jessica and Justin by the numbers

Justin Timberlake married his first wife, actress **Jessica Biel**, on Friday night in southern Italy. Although the wedding was on lockdown harder than Britney Spears' virginity circa 1998, some details have leaked out. Here's a quick look at what it took for Biel to become Justified.

150 Number of guests, including Andy Samberg, Jimmy Fallon, 'N Sync singer Chris Kirkpatrick, actress Beverley Mitchell and Timbaland

2 Number of times the couple has split in their five-year courtship

5 Number of stars of the Borgo Egnazia, the luxury resort they took over for the festivities. The complex is located in Ostuni, Puglia, in the heel of Italy.

6.4 Cost, in millions, of Friday night's nuptials, according to Radar Online. This figure covered private jets, white flowers throughout the hotel complex, a fireworks show, and the resort costs.

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▶ Biel and Timberlake in May. The couple were married on Friday at Borgo Egnazia, a 450-acre hotel complex in southern Italy.

"It's great to be married. The ceremony was beautiful and it was so special to be surrounded by our family and friends."
THE COUPLE TOLD PEOPLE IN A STATEMENT

Hot. Shot

▶ Heidi Montag, age 26

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Montag hasn't grown into her new face

Sad, sad celebrity/plastic surgery victim Heidi Pratt (neé Montag) hosted a third anniversary party at the strip club Crazy Horse III on Friday night in Las Vegas. While there, she told Us Weekly that she and husband Spencer are currently living with his parents to save money.

Kardashian and Kanye in Rome

Looks like Italy is a new hot spot for celebrities this week: **Kanye West** and **Kim Kardashian** are also there. The rapper romanced his girlfriend with a getaway for her 32nd birthday.

"I got whisked away to Rome for a birthday week surprise!" Kardashian blogged, posting shots of the couple on the way to dinner. "Italy is so beautiful!! Best birthday ever!!" she later tweeted.

The odds are slim, but how fantastic would it be if West had just taken her to an Olive Garden in New Jersey and she just had no idea?

Louis C.K. to host 'SNL'

Famed stand-up comedian **Louis C.K.** will host NBC's "Saturday Night Live" on Nov. 3, following a seven-night, 14-show stand at New York City Center. Musical act fun. will join C.K., who has recently risen to prominence as the writer, director and star of FX's "Louie."

Talking points

Lohan really wishes she were adopted

Lindsay Lohan apparently can't win with either of her parents. The actress, whose recent argument with her mom, **Dina Lohan**, led to police involvement, reportedly called the police on dad **Michael Lohan**, who had turned up at her Beverly Hills home with a group of friends to stage an intervention, according to TMZ. Michael told the website that his daughter is in need of treatment and has been surrounding herself with "a bunch of alcoholics and drug addicts." Police arrived in response to a complaint that Michael and his posse were trespassing, and they soon dispersed.

It's a boy for singer Adele

Adele has given birth to a baby boy, according to the Sunday Mirror. The singer and her boyfriend, **Simon Konecki**, welcomed the tot last week. "Adele and Simon are ecstatic at their new arrival. She was over the moon that they were expecting their first child together," a source tells the newspaper. The birth comes just four months after the "Rolling in the Deep" singer announced she was pregnant.

▶ Mama Adele

Perry wants to change Mayer

There's some new insight into why **Katy Perry** keeps sticking with on-again, off-again beau **John Mayer**, according to Us Weekly. Apparently the pop star "believes she can change him," sources say. "She doesn't want to be just another one of his conquests." Her latest strategy — which may explain all the breaking up and making up rumors — is reportedly to play hard-to-get. "She recently told John she was open to see other people," the source says. "Once Katy turned her back on him, he started chasing her again."

The feed ...

▶ Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.

Today, Lindsay Lohan is a material girl, Samuel L. Jackson is ready for the election already, Jennifer Hudson is suffering from sticker shock, and Seth MacFarlane is enjoying the season.

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I don't have a boyfriend. I have Chanel, Hermes and diamonds.

@SamuelLJackson
Let's all just Vote & see what happens! Who needs Bus Fare?!

@IAMJHUD
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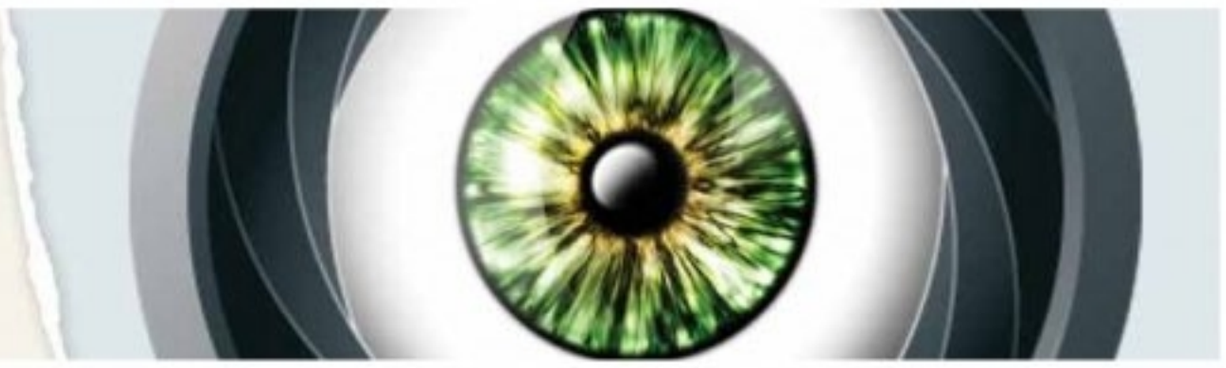

Hugs all around for your Monday

1 **Olivia Wilde** and **Jason Sudeikis** in a quickie embrace in New York City last week.

2 Chinese author **Liao Yiwu** and German writer and literature Nobel Prize winner **Herta Muller** embraced last Sunday in Frankfurt, Germany.

3 **Sheridan Smith** and **Billy Connolly** attended the "Quartet" premiere during the 56th BFI London Film Festival at the Odeon Leicester Square last Monday in London.

4 Designer **Michael Kors** and **Bette Midler** showed their love at the Michael Kors Golden Heart Gala last Monday in New York City.

5 **Donny Osmond** hugged singer **Susan Boyle** after performing together for "The Donny & Marie Show" at the Flamingo Las Vegas last Wednesday. Boyle's new album, "Standing Ovation," will be released on Nov. 13.

6 Hug it out, bro: Co-stars **John Goodman** and **Bryan Cranston** attended the gala premiere of "Argo" during the 56th BFI London Film Festival at The Odeon Leicester Square on Wednesday in London.

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Fourth 'Paranormal Activity' tops charts

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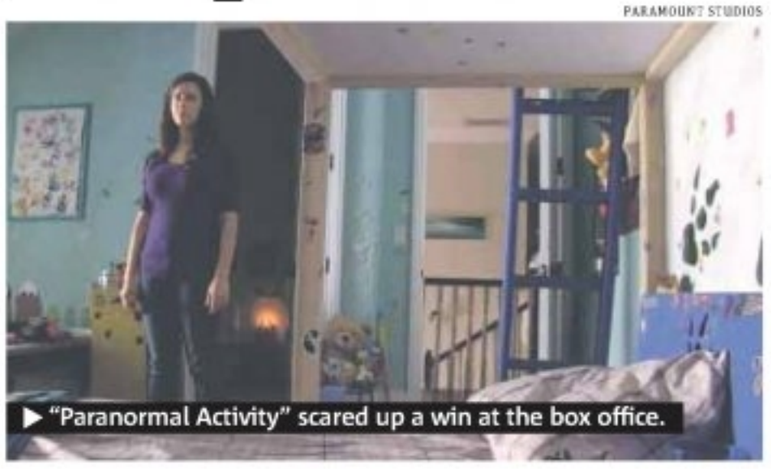

▶ "Paranormal Activity" scared up a win at the box office.

Haunted house movie "Paranormal Activity 4" crept into the No. 1 spot on weekend box office charts with $30.2 million in U.S. and Canadian ticket sales, studio estimates released yesterday showed.

The fourth installment in the low-budget horror series chronicles the strange events that happen in a neighborhood after a woman and her young child move in. The movie cost just $5 million to make.

"Paranormal Activity" finished ahead of Iran hostage drama "Argo," which collected $16.6 million at domestic theaters from Friday through Sunday. Directed by and starring Ben Affleck, the movie is based on the real-life rescue of U.S. government employees from Iran in 1979.

Receipts for "Argo" dropped 15 percent from a week earlier.

The 3-D animated "Hotel Transylvania" captured third place with $13.5 million, just ahead of spy thriller "Taken 2," which grabbed $13.4 million.

"Taken 2" stars Liam Neeson as a former spy who is kidnapped in Istanbul. "Taken 2" topped box office rankings the past two weekends. REUTERS

Top 5 films

1. **"Paranormal Activity 4":** $30.2 million
2. **"Argo":** $16.6 million
3. **"Hotel Transylvania":** $13.5 million
4. **"Taken":** $13.4 million
5. **"Alex Cross":** $11.7 million

TV watch list

'Ru Paul's All Stars Drag Race'

REALITY. The stakes — and sequins quota — are even higher in this edition of the drag queen showdown as 12 returning contestants face off for the queen's crown. **Season premiere, 9 p.m., Logo**

'The Voice'

MATHU ANDERSEN

Nina Flowers returns as a contestant on "Ru Paul's All Stars Drag Race."

REALITY. We love the whole "steal a contestant" concept, but producers better keep an eye out — someone might get carried away and try to steal one of those spinny chairs while they're at it. **8 p.m., NBC**

'Totally Clueless'

REALITY. Improvisers prank unwitting contestants while hidden cameras roll. The sooner the marks figure out they're, well, being played for suckers, the more money they win. **Series premiere, 7 p.m., MTV** AMBER RAY

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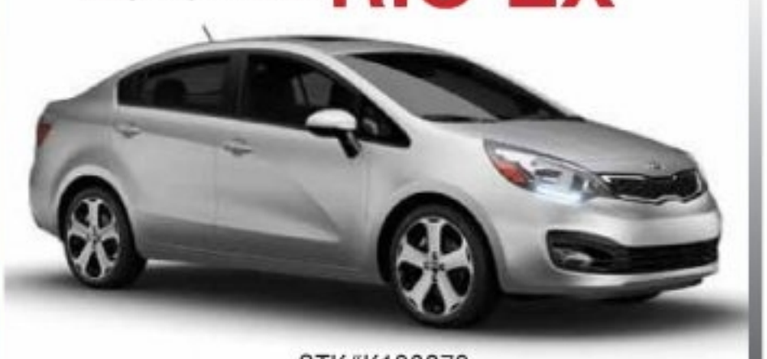

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CMJ OK

Plenty of acts created buzz at the Music Marathon in New York City over the weekend But there didn't seem to be many breakout stars

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The Savages were a CMJ standout.

One of the biggest buzz acts of this year's CMJ was **Savages**, four London women whose punctuated attack on each song is every bit as vicious and thrilling as their name implies. Gemma Thompson plays guitar like she's the runaway teenage daughter of the Edge. It's not easy to make out the subject matter coming from singer Jehnny Beth, but it's unmistakably angry, as she flails about like every convulsion is choreographed to the beats of drummer Fay Milton, who just wails on her kit. Holding down all the chaos is bassist Ayse Hassan, who closes her eyes and lets the beat coarse through her. The sound is what's traditionally called post-punk, but the energy is 100 percent punk.

First impressions aren't always reliable, but **Little Green Cars** singer Stevie Appleby's Ramones shirt and his Dublin band's a capella opener were good indications of what LGCs are all about. When it comes to the traditional music of their homeland, they can weave their voices together as beautifully as any esteemed practitioner of the genre. But they do so with a crushing angst and the joy of rocking out.

Did somebody say rocking out? **King Tuff** was all about that during a late-night set on Friday in a Brooklyn warehouse called Cheap Storage. It was the perfect setting for the jubilant mosh pit that his band set in motion with their four-on-the floor, classic punk-rock sound.

IO Echo were another big draw at this year's Marathon. This Los Angeles four-piece play romantic melodies housed in synth and drums. Singer Ioanna Gikas, like a denim Florence (with men in skinny jeans and black leather as her Machine) frequently raised her arms in what seemed to be some sort of sorrowful pleasure throughout the set.

HEIDI PATALANO

King Tuff brought all the energy of a 1990s Seattle show to Brooklyn on Friday.

MS MR have a live sound that melds synth and Gregorian chant. The singer wore printed tights and a cropped red leather jacket, bringing grit and vigor to the lyrics, "We fear rejection, prize attention, crave affection," getting the crowd to sing and clap along. Her vocals were especially haunting during a performance of their single "Hurricane." Picture the conviction of early Sinead O'Connor paired with a lean, male power source generating a throaty, turbine engine of sound.

The Saturday night Aussie BBQ showcase embodied the crux of CMJ — buzzy, exciting bands who take full advantage of their time in NYC. Sydney-based **Jinja Safari** mix Afro pop and twee fit for the New Zealand forest.

HEIDI PATALANO

Ann Courtney of Motherfeather always captivates a crowd.

Going glam CMJ style

It's no coincidence that **Ann Courtney**, lead singer of **Motherfeather**, has a background in theater. The songstress behind the glam "pop cock rock" outfit, as she calls it, not only belts out some raging anthems; she is also a showman in the first degree. Her sweaty, swaggering delivery evokes some sort of awesome demon woman ascending from the gates of hell to deliver unto us a sinfully amazing performance.

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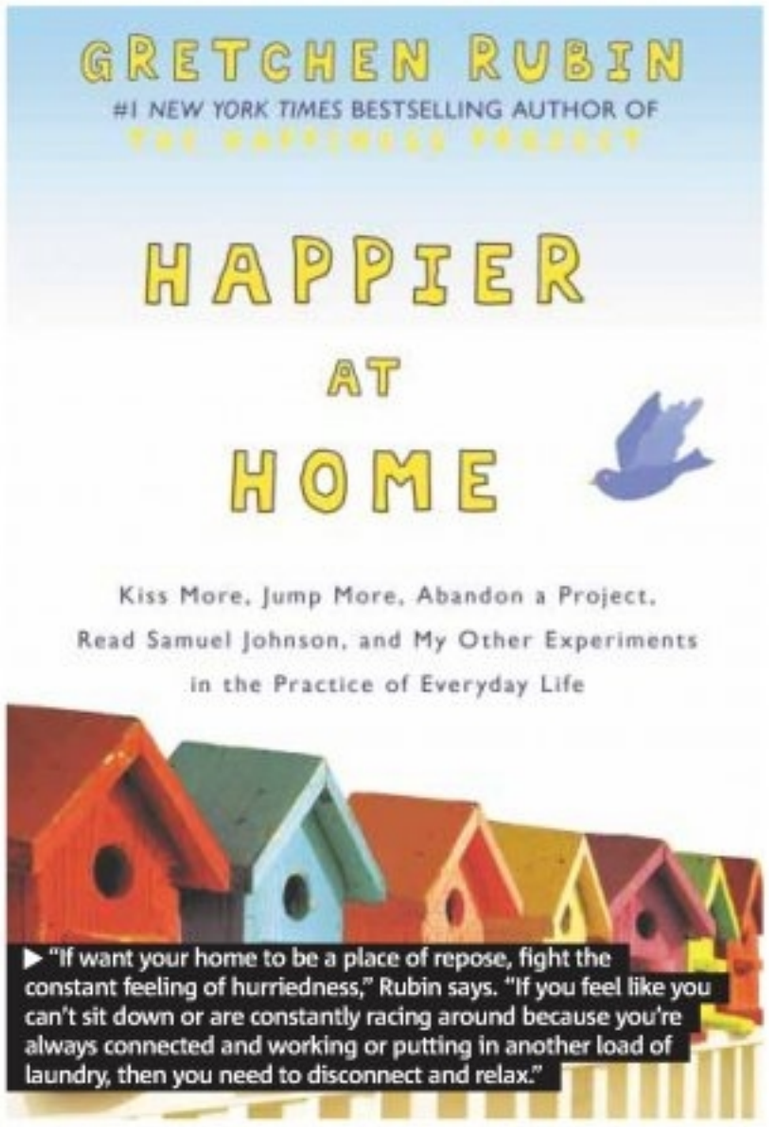
- Best-selling author Gretchen Rubin is back with another self-help guide
- Says you'll be happier in life if you're 'Happier at Home'
- Here's why



"If want your home to be a place of repose, fight the constant feeling of hurriedness," Rubin says. "If you feel like you can't sit down or are constantly racing around because you're always connected and working or putting in another load of laundry, then you need to disconnect and relax."

The moment Gretchen Rubin realized how many elements of a happy life focused on the home, she set about making small changes in her daily routine to help boost her overall happiness.

"If you're not happy at home, it's hard to be happy in your everyday life," says Rubin, the author of 2009's "The Happiness Project," whose new book is aptly called "Happier at Home." "Ideally, our home is a place that energizes and calms us, where we can have privacy but also engage with other people. If you're happy at home, you'll have a much stronger place from which to go out into the world."

We asked Rubin for some tips on how we can use our homes to create happiness.

DAVE CROS

▶ Rubin

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"Our home is the symbolic resting place for our body. It's the launching pad of all your routines." RUBIN

Embrace good smells: "A good smell is a quick fix — it gives you an immediate lift," Rubin says. "It's not like eating a cookie but having to count calories, or reading a book but needing time — it doesn't have a cost. Just light a scented candle, have a bowl of fresh grapefruit in the kitchen or place lavender sachets for your drawers."

Kiss and hug: "People think we act because of the way we feel when, really, we feel the way we act. If you act in a loving, lighthearted way and kiss or hug those you love daily, you can really foster those feelings in yourself. As you're communicating these feelings to somebody else, that person will then feel more beloved. Acting this way will also help drive out negative feelings such as anger or resentment."

Get jumping: "Our home is the symbolic resting place for our body. It's the launching pad of all your routines. Your body is everything — whatever you do, your body will always be there. Any of the habits related to caring for your body, you have to figure them out from home. So exercise better and act more energetic. Do a few jumps a day. Literally. It will put a spring in your step and give you a quick jolt of energy."

Clear out clutter: "Living in a house where everything is falling into disorder can make you really unhappy. A crowded closet isn't a big deal, yet somehow it can weigh you down. Getting control over the inflow of 'stuff' of life will make you feel more in control of life in general. Make sure you only have things you need, use and love. Everything else you can get rid of."

Let go of tech: "Technological devices have a valuable role to play so long as they don't crowd out other things that are more important. You need to create boundaries so that technology doesn't invade your life like a weed. End the day with an emptier inbox and don't check e-mail at bedtime — the stimulation will wake you right up. When you're with your family, put away your phone, iPad and laptop."

Create a shrine: "Making a sort of shrine — which can include anything from music, travel mementos, photo albums or jewelry — creates a specific place that is full of love. You may want to have a wall of photographs of your friends or family to remind you of the things and people that make you happy."

One more tip

Go to bed

"Some people think they're too tired to do anything except watch TV or cruise on the Internet and dedicate a lot of time to these low-grade activities that don't boost happiness. But don't let these activities eat up a lot of your time or you'll stay up too late and wake up feeling exhausted. If you were too tired to do anything but watch TV, then go to sleep."

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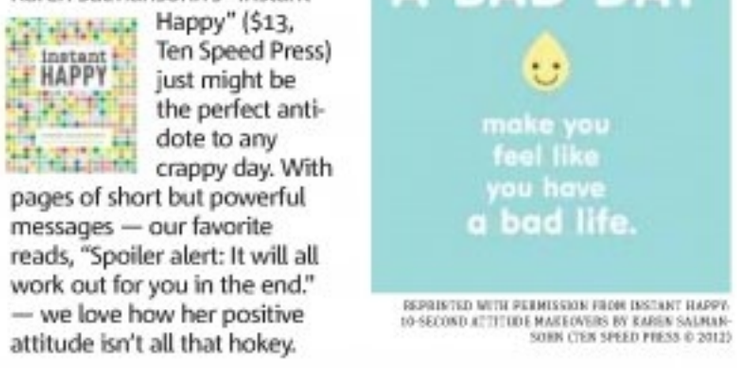
Having a rough go at it? Karen Salmansohn's "Instant Happy" ($13, Ten Speed Press) just might be the perfect antidote to any crappy day. With pages of short but powerful messages — our favorite reads, "Spoiler alert: It will all work out for you in the end." — we love how her positive attitude isn't all that hokey.



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With holidays near, many retailers look to hire seasonal help

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▶ Macy's, Kohl's and Toys "R" Us are among stores that need extra help this year.

Thousands of job-seekers across the U.S. are looking to bolster their employment prospects as some major retailers, from Kohl's to Toys "R" Us, announce plans to take on more temporary workers than last year. The trend for the industry is less robust, with hiring in November and December increasing at most by 2.9 percent, compared with 7.9 percent last year, as projected sales growth weakens, according to the National Retail Federation.

The rate of holiday job growth reflects U.S. economic growth, said Jack Kleinhenz, chief economist at the NRF. Consumer spending, adjusted for inflation, stalled in August, according to the latest data released from the Commerce Department.

Still, any increase in jobs is welcome, said Chris Varvares, senior managing director and co-founder of Macroeconomic Advisers LLC in St. Louis. The unemployment rate fell to 7.8 percent in September after hovering above 8 percent for 43 straight months. The economic effect of the holiday season is a "definite plus: It helps profits, it helps employment and, to the extent it does both of those things, it can help to create a virtuous cycle of improved consumer confidence and then stronger spending down the road," he said. "It definitely puts a shot of income into the economy that if we were missing, we would notice."

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Who's hiring now

Stores across the U.S. have started to announce seasonal hiring plans. Macy's, the second-biggest U.S. department-store chain, said it will add about 2,000 more workers than the 78,000 it hired last year. Toys "R" Us said it plans to employ 45,000 temporary staff, up 5,000 from last season. Kohl's said it will add more than 52,700 people.

Companies such as RadioShack and The Gap have begun promoting job openings, said Don Firth, president of AllRetail Jobs.com, an online job board for the retail industry. "The big stores are already putting advertisements up there," he said. "We are already seeing a lot more traffic coming to our site."

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"Last year we saw a lot of the retailers we work with take 20 to 30 percent of their seasonal applications and turn them into permanent positions. This is a fabulous time to try to take something seasonal and turn it into something permanent."

MARYAM MORSE OF MANAGEMENT CONSULTING FIRM HAY GROUP

When temps stay

Other employers are adding fewer seasonal workers this year, having held onto more of last year's hires. Target, the second-largest U.S. discounter, said about 30 percent of its holiday hires in 2011 stayed with the company year-round. It plans to add 80,000 to 90,000 workers compared with 92,000 last year.

The online impact

Online shopping has created another segment of holiday hiring, as distribution centers and delivery services add temporary workers to keep up with shipping demands. This year, holiday online sales are projected to increase 12 percent, compared with a 15 percent rise in 2011.

"The game changer is e-commerce," said Chris Christopher, director of U.S. and global consumer-economics research at IHS Global Insight Inc. "Where you might see strong temporary hires outside the retail channels is in the couriers, like UPS and FedEx, to handle the onslaught of increased e-commerce sales," he said.

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▶ Want "it all"? You're not alone.

What does 'it all' mean?

The idea of "having it all" varies from person to person, of course. However, a new study on women in the workplace by LinkedIn and Citi found that "only 17 percent of women [surveyed] stated that reaching the height of success in their field was a factor in their assessment of 'having it all.' For the majority, success was defined by a job that they enjoy."

For many of the women surveyed, marriage and children weren't tied up in the definition of "all": 36 percent of respondents weren't concerned about marriage, and 27 percent didn't cite children. "Millennial women are putting off having children until they are nearly 30," explains Amy Lynch, a consultant who works with BridgeWorks, an organization that helps businesses connect with different generations of employees and customers. "They seek work-life integration. Millennials don't see hard divides between work time and family time."

Ultimately, no matter what "having it all" means, most of us are counting on it at some point: Only 4 percent of women who participated in the survey felt that having it all was unattainable. Julia Hartz, co-founder and president of Eventbrite, agrees to some extent. "What I've found," says Hartz, "is while I think you can have it all, you can't have it all at the same time."

JULIA WEST

Gender equality

Although the survey focused on women, assuming that the definition of success varies between genders is dangerous.

"It should mean the same thing as 'having it all' for a professional man," says Susan Lucas-Conwell, CEO of HR consulting firm Great Place to Work. "Being a woman should not make one stitch of difference in terms of the opportunities presented to me in the workplace."

KICKSTART LIKE A PRO

Crowd-funding just may be your big break ◐ But you've got to know what you're doing ◐ New book shares veterans' secrets

Since its debut in 2009, online funding platform Kickstarter has been giving hope to budding entrepreneurs who are rich in ideas but short on money. But it's not as simple as just asking people to fund your dream company, then sitting back as the money flows in.

In his new book, "The Kickstarter Handbook," Don Steinberg talks to veterans of the crowd-funding process.

"That's what I tried to put into the book: these real people's experiences," says Steinberg. "There isn't really a formula. Generally speaking, it usually requires doing a lot of steps the right way, but plenty of campaigns succeed from one particular area — a really great video or an amazing product."

According to Steinberg, the real challenge isn't so much taking off as it is staying afloat after securing your funds.

"Some of the successful campaigners have been surprised by how complex it can actually be afterwards," he says. "Creative designers in Brooklyn and San Francisco are suddenly becoming large-scale manufacturers and learning a completely different part of the process."

"It appeals to a lot of niches, especially those that wouldn't normally have a stable source of funding. People really get a kick out of having an impact in bringing someone's dream to life." STEINBERG

▶ If you have a good idea and a better campaign, there's money on Kickstarter for you.

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His ultimate advice for those starting a new business or launching a pet project on Kickstarter? "Think about what you're doing apart from the money," he advises. "Think through what your target market is."

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Navigating the job search with Asperger's syndrome

In 2006, career coach Barbara Bissonnette attended a workshop on Asperger's syndrome at the Massachusetts School of Professional Psychology. She instantly felt she wanted to better understand the job-search challenges of people with AS. Today, her company, Forward Motion Coaching, is one of the few in the nation to specialize in providing career coaching to people with AS.

Her latest book, "The Complete Guide to Finding a Job for People With Asperger's Syndrome," will be released in November.

▶ Planning for interview details such as eye contact and pleasantries are important for those with Asperger's.

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What's the difference between writing a career book for a person with Asperger's syndrome as opposed to a neurotypical reader?

There's a lot more explicit detail in some areas. For example, most books would take certain aspects of the process for granted: How you introduce yourself to the interviewer, making eye contact and smiling. It's important to discuss the details — casual exchanges of pleasantries. People with Asperger's usually struggle with that, so I try to prepare them for those moments in the job search.

Are there certain fields that are better for people with AS?

I get asked that a lot. People are looking for a short list. Actually, I have had clients in a wide range of careers. So there is no list. But, to make a general statement, jobs that don't involve a high level of sophisticated personal interaction are a better choice for most individuals with AS. And I can understand why people with AS often gravitate toward fields like engineering and information technology. These are fields with difficult but concrete problems to solve: A leads to B, typically, and they don't usually require a high sensitivity to nonverbal signals.

BRUCE WALSH

Q&A

Should people with AS disclose their diagnosis to potential employers?

For me, it depends on the person and their particular situation. In general, if you don't need to disclose, why bring up potential problems? But, if they feel they have to choose between focusing on the interview and managing an aspect of AS, it might be a great idea to be upfront with the interviewer.

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All the world's a (political) stage

The United States elections in general and the presidential in particular look more like a show contest. Like actors, the candidates have to rehearse and choose with precision what they must say and how they stand with the help of a cohort of advisers. What they believe in doesn't matter. The most important is to tell to the population what the polls suggest they want to hear. Mitt Romney can switch his speeches depending on who he is talking to, and he jumps in the poll because it's the right thing to say. And at the end of the day, the electors are unsatisfied with their elected officials. How can it be otherwise when the choice is not based on facts, but only how the candidate performs on the show?

ABAHEBOU KAMAGATE, VIA E-MAIL

Part of American public is seeing red

Did you ever think you would see a time in America when our president so despises the principles and ideals our country was founded on that he is willing to destroy the lives of its citizens by creating unconscionable dependency on a few "ruling class" socialist, communist bureaucrats in Washington? We have our chance to spit this chicken bone out of our throats and that chance comes on Nov. 6. We have had enough of this destructive regime. Vote for your future, your children's and your grandchildren's and your great grandchildren's future. We are the only ones who can stop this madness now. See you at the polls.

JOHN SANGENARIO, VIA E-MAIL

The good use of parables isn't eons old or anything

RE: "FIFTY SHADES OF PURPLE" (METRO, OCT. 19-21) Thanks for the story, [news columnist] Tom Foreman. But it seems you haven't grasped that women are whole human beings to be respected either. We do not need stories or fantasy worlds to explain what we live every day. We simply need to be respected for what we contribute to our communities, our homes, our jobs and our country. Learn from Clint Eastwood's mistake: Mature adults can discuss facts without theatrics. In fact, it's safe to say that most adults prefer not be spoken to like simpleminded children.

SHAYLA LIVINGSTON, VIA E-MAIL

What? A politician taking the credit?

RE: "YOU KNOW WHAT HE MEANT; FOCUS ON THE ACHIEVEMENT" (METRO, OCT. 19-21) Letter writer Joey Whitmoyer claims Romney recognized the lack of women in governance and sought out to change that by compiling a list of capable women. The reality is that prior to Romney even being elected, the bipartisan women's group MassGAP sought to address this problem and compiled the binder — and then successfully lobbied Romney to hire more women, using their binder to identify candidates. While he deserves credit for acting at their behest, it is unfortunate that Romney later chose to show his support for women by taking credit for a project done by a women's organization.

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♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** Although you're likely to be extremely enterprising, you won't necessarily be working for personal gain. It's more apt to be the needs of those you love that will motivate you.

♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** As long as you act on your ideas, your probabilities for success look to be extremely encouraging. Two of your greatest assets are your imagination and initiative.

♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** This could be a materially rewarding day for you — but, surprisingly, not necessarily due to your own efforts. All the good that befalls you might be derived from an indirect source.

♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** You'll perform twice as efficiently working with persons who know exactly where they are going rather than with those who are more carefree.

♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** Don't look for problems, but don't run away from them either. This is a day when you should be able to respond well to challenging situations.

♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** Regardless of your circumstances and/or problems, think positive; whether you realize it or not, this is an excellent day for fulfilling your hopes.

♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** It's perfectly OK to be bold when striving to achieve your purposes, but not to the point of foolhardiness. If bravado is required in certain cases, use it sparingly.

♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** The answers that you've been searching for can be found by discussing your concerns with someone who knows how to listen and has advised you correctly in the past.

♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** If you spot a development that shows possibilities of being financially meaningful, go ahead and exploit it — but do so carefully. It might be more complex than it initially appears.

♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** Someone with whom you're involved could presently be on a lucky roll that could include you if you don't get cold feet. Instead of running away, snuggle up even closer.

♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** You're in a better-than-usual cycle for achieving more meaningful objectives, especially those that are related to your personal ambitions and material security. Go after things with gusto.

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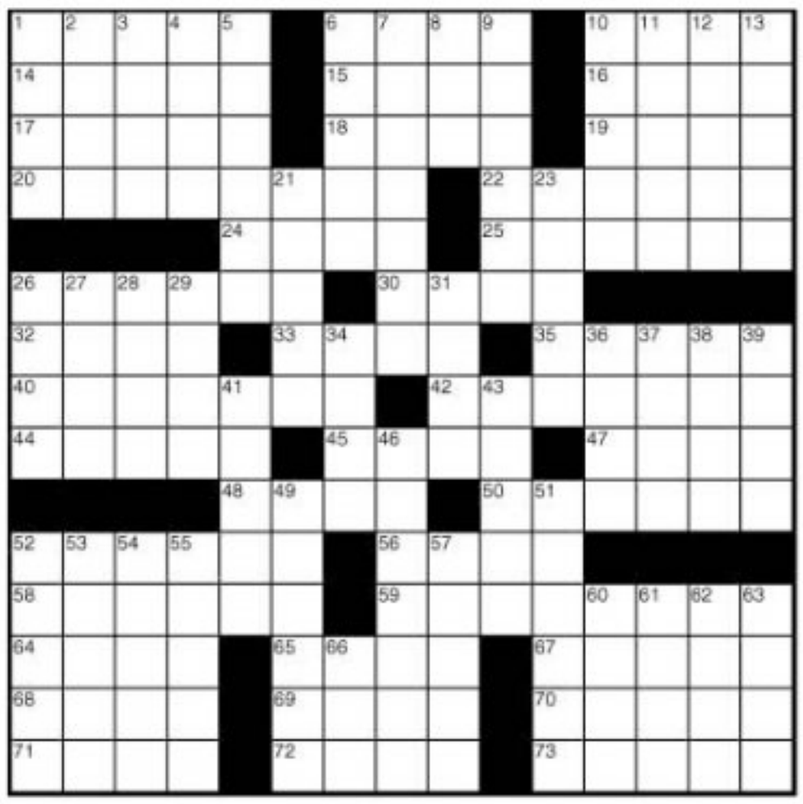

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Patriots avoid red alert, losing record with win

Pats nearly blow another victory, but come up big in OT to beat Jets Jump back into first place in AFC East Familiar issues rear ugly head once again throughout second half

Three things we learned in the Patriots' 29-26 overtime win over the Jets yesterday:

1 LACK OF FINISH
An interception, a stupid personal foul on a Zoltan Mesko punt and a safety on a botched Jets handoff gifted the Patriots three possessions in the second quarter alone. Yet the two points on the safety were all they could muster.

They needed only a semi-sustained drive late in the fourth quarter to seal the win, yet went backwards in a brutally fast three-and-out. So continues a pattern in which New England has left points on the field and/or failed to close games the way we've come to expect it. Simply put, this high-powered offense has sputtered at times. Consider that between the second quarter of the Seattle loss and the third quarter of the New York win it scored exactly one offensive touchdown in a span of nearly 83 minutes, or roughly a game and a half.

12 The Patriots don't play a true away game again until Week 12 on Thanksgiving night, when they will be at the Jets.

2 GRONK, THE SAVIOR
The one offensive touchdown in the middle of that slump was a nice diving grab by Rob Gronkowski in the first quarter Sunday. The one that ended it was an easy TD toss to Gronk late in the third. That gave the big tight end his first multi-touchdown game of the season after he had seven such efforts in 2011. He also was the key to the game-tying drive at the end of regulation, catching back-to-back passes for 27 yards in a span of seconds to get the ball rolling. Gronk has 12 catches for 139 yards in the last two games and is showing signs of dominating in the passing game once again.

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▶ The Patriots defense allowed 328 yards passing to Mark Sanchez but hung on to win yesterday.

3 RETURN TO SENDER
The Pats have struggled in the return game for a few years. They finished 18th in return yardage in 2010, 29th in 2011 and ranked 28th in the league entering this one. Devin McCourty's 104-yard TD return in the first quarter Sunday will change that, but his fumble on a return late in regulation, which allowed the Jets to kick a go-ahead field goal, virtually erased it.

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In the news

Pats 'O' illegal?
Prior to Sunday's Patriots overtime victory over the Jets, New York reached out to the league office about New England's up-tempo offense and possible illegal substitutions.

"We have already talked to the league office and Rex (Ryan) will be in the ref's ear about this all game," a Jets coach told ESPN Saturday night.

Defenses are allowed to substitute if the offense makes a substitution, which is the Jets' main contention.

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RED SOX MANAGER JOHN FARRELL

Opinion

Since the Oct. 3 conclusion of their worst season in nearly 50 years, the Red Sox have done everything right. The decision to fire Bobby Valentine came quick and without much drama. The decision to hire John Farrell this past weekend and trade away Mike Aviles came quick and without much drama. It certainly appears that Red Sox management has finally been humbled.

There was still plenty of doubt that that might not be the case even after the team lost 93 games after those six long months. Management continued to insult the intelligence of its fanbase throughout the 2012 season with goofy letters to season ticket holders (guess the 'friendly Mike Aviles' wasn't the next coming of Barry Larkin at short after all) and the much-maligned Fenway sell-out streak.

News came out of Farrell's hiring late on a Saturday night. In the past, you can bet that the formerly PR savvy folks on Yawkey Way would have made sure to make the news public of a new manager on a Monday morning, mid-week or even during a Patriots game to bump them off the front page of the sports section.

▶ John Farrell

For the time being, it seems, Larry Lucchino and Ben Cherington are putting the typical Red Sox fanfare stuff on the shelf. Sure, there remains the chance that Farrell will enter Fenway Park today on a zipline that extends from the Prudential Building to Pesky's Pole. From a group that uses bricks as a source of income, anything is possible. But give the Red Sox props today. It appears that baseball and baseball only is the only thing that matters this October.

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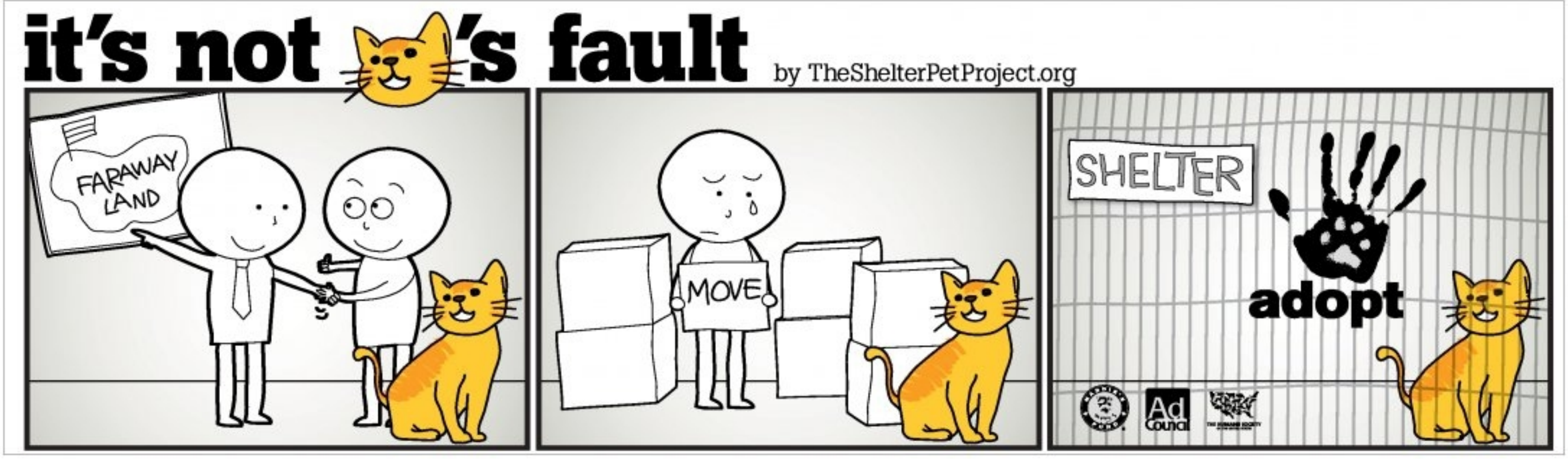

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